

**MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS
MINUTES OF JULY 27, 2006**

The Board of Chiropractic Examiners met at the Hilton-Jackson, Jackson, MS. The meeting was called to order at 8:29 a.m. by Chairman Norville.

Those present: L. A. Norville, D.C., Chairman
 Munson Hinman, D.C., Vice Chairman
 David Ritch, D.C.
 Michael Patterson, D.C.
 David Allen, D.C.
 Brian W. Amy, M.D.
 Leyser Hayes, Board Attorney
 Richard Walker, D.C., Executive Secretary

Chairman Norville declared a quorum at 8:31 a.m.

Dr. Hinman motioned to nominate Dr. Norville as Chairman. Dr. Allen seconded. There being no other nominations, Dr. Norville was elected Chairman.

Dr. Hinman motioned to nominate Dr. Ritch as Vice Chairman. Dr. Allen seconded. There being no other nominations, Dr. Ritch was elected Vice Chairman.

Dr. Hinman motioned to accept the minutes of the April 27, 2006, Board meeting. Seconded by Dr. Allen. Motion passed unanimously.

The Executive Secretary gave the following financial report: Appropriation for FY2006 is \$46,982.00. YTD expenses \$43,476.96. Cash in State Treasury is \$87,318.10. YTD revenue is \$59,247.00. Appropriation for FY2007 is \$55,876.00. Dr. Patterson motioned to accept the report as read. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned for the Board to approve 6 continuing education hours put on by the Mississippi Chiropractic Association. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Amy motioned to reconsider the Rules and Regulations changes from the April Board meeting. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to accept the proposed changes in the Rules and Regulations. Dr. Amy seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned to allow the following graduate chiropractors to sit the Jurisprudence examination: Trevor L. Qualls, D.C. and Bryan David Serena, D.C. They have met all requirements. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There was no Legislative report.

Under Old Business, after discussion and on advice of counsel, Dr. Allen motioned to deny the application for licensure of David Bennett, D.C. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

After discussion and on advice of counsel, Dr. Allen motioned to deny expunging Steven Dodge, D.C.'s record of the guilty verdict in Complaint #25-03. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning the change in Rule #8, Dr. Hinman motioned to take up the reconsideration from the April Board meeting. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned to eliminate the registration fee for new chiropractic assistants effective immediately. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Under New Business, Ron Herndon, D.C., appeared for an informal hearing at 9:00 a.m.

Dr. Patterson motioned to grant Kevin Snell, D.C. an emergency license for the next six months. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve the SPEC application for Richard Yurick, D.C. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to approve the Attorney General's contract with the Mississippi State Board of Chiropractic Examiners to provide legal advice and counsel. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning complaint #26-02, further investigation is warranted and has been delegated to Dr. Allen.

Concerning complaint #26-03, Dr. Patterson motioned, after full discussion and on advice of counsel, to dispense with the complaint. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning complaint #26-04, after much discussion and on advice of counsel, the Board found that no Mississippi law had been violated and has dismissed the complaint. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Allen motioned to approve the preceptorship applications for Stephen Brown, D.C. and Dorothy Jacobs, D.C., both of Logan College. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Ritch motioned the following doctors have passed the Jurisprudence examination and will be issued a license: Trevor L. Qualls, D.C. and Bryan David Serena, D.C. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned that the use of “free examination” with or without the necessary values is considered deceptive and misleading advertisement and would not be acceptable to be used in advertisements by chiropractors in the state of Mississippi. This is to be added as a change to Rule #5 Advertising. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned to waive the \$300 late fee for all chiropractic clinics in the Mississippi Go-Zone, as per Governor Haley Barbour’s Emergency Proclamation dated August 26, 2005. Dr. Hinman seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Concerning the request from Anthony Vicheto, D.C., Dr. Allen motioned to deny the request as the minutes are enough explanation concerning his complaint #24-02. Dr. Patterson seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Patterson motioned concerning the reinstatement of T. David Howell, D.C.’s Mississippi chiropractic license, that the following should be successfully completed before reinstatement of license will occur. They are: (1) Pay all back fees since lapse; (2) Get 120 hours of continuing education from July 1, 1994 – present; (3) Take and pass the SPEC examination of the National Board; and (4) Because of length of time out of practice and changes in chiropractic practice law, take and pass the Mississippi jurisprudence examination. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Dr. Hinman motioned to approve pay vouchers. Dr. Allen seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

There being no further business, Dr. Allen motioned for adjournment. Dr. Ritch seconded. Motion passed unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 11:56 a.m.

Next scheduled Board meeting:	October 26, 2006
Next scheduled examination:	October 26, 2006

Respectfully submitted,
Richard W. Walker, D.C.
Executive Secretary

Minutes were approved by the full Board on October 26, 2006.